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POV ACCIDENT PREVENTION

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INHERENT RISKS OF OPERATING A MOTORCYCLE

Recently, a soldier was fatally injured when the motorcycle he was riding collided with a car that made a turn into his path. At the time of the accident, the soldier was traveling below the speed limit; he was wearing all the required personal protective equipment, and he took all the necessary safety measures to avoid the collision. The soldier was killed on impact with the car. Apparently, the driver of the car did not see the motorcycle

Lessons Learned

- Riding a motorcycle is inherently dangerous. **BE VISIBLE!!!**
- Always prepare for the unexpected. “Ride To Arrive!”
- Riders must wear all proper personnel protective equipment when riding.
- Riders must have proper training.

Essential Motorcycle Survival Skills

- Emergency braking
- Direction Perspective
- Maneuver Anticipation
- Crash Survival Skills
- Countersteering

BE VISIBLE TO OTHER DRIVERS

PREPARED AND LOYA